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FM AMEMBASSY STOCKHOLM

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SUBJECT: PLO "FOREIGN MINISTER" VISITS STOCKHOLM

REF: STOCKHOLM 200

1. BEGIN UNCLASSIFIED. PLO "FOREIGN MINISTER" FAROUK KADDOUMI ARRIVED IN STOCKHOLM FROM MOSCOW MARCH 4. IN A TELEVISION INTERVIEW, KADDOUMI SAID THAT HE WAS VISITING SWEDEN TO SEEK SUPPORT AMONG HIS "SWEDISH FRIENDS," WHO HAVE SHOWN "SYMPATHY FOR OUR CAUSE." KADDOUMI ALSO TOLD HIS INTERVIEWERS TO EXPECT A "SURPRISE" AT THE GENEVA MID-EAST TALKS, BUT DECLINED TO ELABORATE ON WHAT KIND OF SURPRISE HE HAD IN MIND. ACCORDING TO PRESS REPORTS, KADDOUMI WILL MEET WITH REPRESENTATIVES OF THE MFA AS WELL AS
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WITH SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC PARTY OFFICIALS BEFORE HE DEPARTS

MARCH 7. END UNCLASSIFIED.

2. BEGIN LOU. ACCORDING TO BO HEINEBACK, MFA MIDDLE EAST
DESK OFFICER, KADDOUMI WAS NOT RPT NOT INVITED BY THE GOS
TO STOCKHOLM, BUT CAME "STRICTLY ON HIS OWN". HE TOLD
POLITICAL COUNSELOR THAT HIGHEST RANKING MFA OFFICER WHO
WILL RECEIVE KADDOUMI WILL BE POLITICAL AFFAIRS DIRECTOR
LEIFLAND. HEINEBACK SAID PLO OFFICE HERE MAY ARRANGE PRESS CON-
FERENCE FOR KADDOUMI, ALTHOUGH AS OF THIS MORNING THIS WAS NOT
CERTAIN. IN CONCLUSION, HEINEBACK RE-EMPHASIZED THAT VISIT OF
KADDOUMI REPRESENTED NO RPT NO CHANGE IN SWEDISH MID-EAST
POLICY.
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